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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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File Ref: Lease 5961; A2827
Item: 14

Title: Issuance of a General Lease – Protective Structure Use – Lease 5961

Location: Sovereign land in Quill Slough, adjacent to Assessor's Parcel Number 310-021-005, near Loleta, Humboldt County.

Description: Authorize issuance of a General Lease – Protective Structure Use beginning February 1, 2021, for a term of 10 years, for the use and maintenance of an existing tide gate and rock riprap.

Name of Approving Public Agency: California State Lands Commission

Name of Proponent (Person or Agency): Skylar J. Rice; and Joe Rice and Jill Rice

Exempt Status:

Categorical Exemption:

CLASS 1, EXISTING FACILITIES (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 2, § 2905, subd. (a)(2))

Reasons for exemption:

Issuance of a 10-year General Lease – Protective Structure Use for the above-mentioned structures will not cause a physical change in the environment and will not change existing activities in the area. There is no reasonable possibility that the activity will have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances. Therefore, the project will not have a significant effect on the environment and the above categorical exemption applies.

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